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Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph that begins on page 13, line 9, as shown below.

FIG. 4 is a diagram of an of a computer architecture 400 for implementing a three-tier workflow model. In FIG. 4, a first workflow management computer system 402 includes a variety of elements (e.g., a computer-readable medium with a computer program including instructions that, when executed, operate to cause a computer to perform operations, or one or more computers and a computer-readable medium coupled to the one or more computers having instructions stored thereon which, when executed by the one or more computers, cause the one or more computers to perform operations) designed to perform at least the following tasks: implementation of an actual (private) workflow, generation of workflow views (i.e., abstracted or virtual workflows) from the private workflows, and collaboration with an external party such as another workflow management system or workflow mediator to securely implement a coalition workflow.